GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2690
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2001
ADDITIONAL FUND FOR GUJARAT
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) the total interim financial assistance sought by the Government of Gujarat during the last three years;

(b) the actual allocation funds made by the Union Government year- wise and scheme-wise;

(c) the reasons for not providing the full amount of assistance as sought by the State Government;

(d) whether the interim assistance sought during the current financial year has been provided;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF PLANNING, STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a),(b),(c),(d),(e)&(f) Statement-I indicating details of various requests received in the Ministry of Finance from the Government of Gujarat during the last 3 years (1998-99 to 2000- 01) and in the current financial year so far and action taken thereon is enclosed. Statement-II showing the Central assistance allocated and released during 1998-2000 and 2000-2001 is also enclosed.

Statement-I

ENCLOSURE TO UNSTARRED LOK SABHA QUESTION NO.2690 FOR ANSWER ON 8.8.2001

Request of the Govt. of Gujarat for additional financial assistance

Years	Request made by the State Govt.	Action Taken
1998-99		
(i) Financial assistance of Rs.10 crores for construction of Raj Bhawan at Gandhinagar Plan expenditure and should be a part of State Plan.		The State Govt. was informed that the construction of Raj Bhawan, was in the nature of
(ii) Central assistance of Rs.600 crores from NFCR++ for relief & restoration of damages caused by Cyclone of June,1998.		An amount of Rs.55.35 crores was released from NFCR during 1998-99 in the wake of cyclone in Gujarat, as per the recommendation of M/o Agriculture.
1999-00		
(i) Special Central assistance of Rs.60 crores for Gokul Gram Yojana.		Additional C.A. for Gokul Gram Yojana of Rs.60 crores was released to the State Govt. during 1999-2000.

2000-01 (i) Request for Special ways & means advance of Rs.500 crores due to financial burden on State caused by the 5th Pay Commission and reduction in Central Devolution.	A ways & means advance of Rs.300 crores was released to the State Govt. +	
(ii) Request for allocation of additional Market borrowing of Rs.500 crores of Central devolution on Eleventh Finance Commission recommendations.	An additional Market borrowing of Rs.250 crores to has been approved. +	
2001-02 (i) Request for ways & means advance of Rs.350 crores to meet the overdraft position of the State.	Rs.91 crores as ways & means advance and Rs.150 crores as small saving loan on ad-hoc basis have been released. +	

\+ These amounts were released after examining the requirement of the State Government.

++ NFCR - National Fund for Calamity Relief

Statement-II

ENCLOSURE TO UNSTARRED LOK SABHA QUESTION NO.2690 FOR ANSWER ON 8.8.2001

Central assistance allocated and released during 1998-99,1999-2000 and 2000-2001

(Rs. in crores)

Items	1998-1999		1999-2000		2000-2001	
	Allocation	Released	Allocation	Released	Allocation	Released
1. Normal Central Assistance #	380.14	315.24	420.58	392.35	422.39	421.16
2. B.M.S. +	76.42	76.42	113.54	113.54	0.00	0.00
3. S.D.S. +	18.30	22.92	20.13	20.13	20.13	20.13
4. EAPs $	564.00	267.65	503.18	512.33	467.50	891.24
5. BADP +	8.88	8.88	9.87	9.87	9.87	10.26
6. AIBP +	225.00	423.37	275.00	272.70	350.00	421.85
7 PMGY +	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	64.79	50.20
8. PMGSY+	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.41	59.81

9. ACA for Gokulgram Yojana	21.00	21.00	60.00	60.00	30.00	30.00	
10. Calamity Relief Fund	116.12	116.12	121.05	121.05	131.14	131.14	
11. NFCR/NCCF ##	0.00	55.35	0.00	54.58	0.00	555.00	
12. APDP +	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	109.63	109.63	

Releases based on the Actual/Departmental/anticipated expenditure reported by the State Govt.
+ Releases based on the recommendations received from different Ministries/Departments.
$ Released on the reimbursement basis.
Releases on the recommendation of the M/o Agriculture.

LEGEND
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BMS	- Basic Minimum Services
SDS	- Slum Development Schemes
EAPs	- Externally Aided Projects
BADP	- Border Area Development Programme
AIBP	- Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme
PMGY	- Pradhan Mantri Gramudyog Yojana
PMGSY	- Pradhan Mantri Gram Sarak Yojana
ACA	- Additional Central Assistance
NFCR/NCCF	- National Fund for Calamity Relief / National Calamity Contingency Fund
APDP	- Accelerated Power Development Programme